

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A network printing system comprising:

a network;

a terminal that is connected to [[the]] a network and that orders a print job;

a printing apparatus that is connected to the network and that performs printing in accordance with the print job; and

a server that is connected to the network and that delivers the print job derived from the terminal to the printing apparatus; ~~wherein the network printing system includes:~~

a print setting information storage section which is provided in the server and which stores therein print setting information that is set by input;

a print setting information acquisition section for acquiring the print setting information set in the server;

a confirmation message presentation section for presenting to a user a screen indicating a confirmation message for confirming printing based on the acquired print setting information and accepting input by the user as to whether the printing is agreed or not;

a resetting section for resetting the acquired print setting information in accordance with an instruction from the user if the printing is not ~~confirmed~~ agreed by the user, as indicated the input accepted by the confirmation message presentation section; and

a print job creation section for creating the print job based on the acquired print setting information or the reset print setting information and sending the created print job to the server.

2. (Original) The network printing system as defined in Claim 1, wherein

when the user agrees with the confirmation message, the print job creation section creates the print job based on the acquired print setting information.

3. (Original) The network printing system as defined in Claim 1, wherein

the print setting information acquisition section, the confirmation message presentation section, the resetting section and the print job creation section are mounted on the terminal.

4. (Original) The network printing system as defined in Claim 1, wherein the print setting information contains initial print setting information and save-mode print setting information.

5. (Original) The network printing system as defined in Claim 4, wherein the printing apparatus transmits printing result information to the server every time printing is performed, and

the server monitors the printing result information derived from the printing apparatus, and when contents of the printing result information satisfy predetermined conditions, the save-mode print setting information is transmitted as the print setting information to the print setting information acquisition section.

6. (Currently amended) A printing terminal comprising:

a print setting information acquisition section for transmitting an acquisition request for print setting information to a server in which the print setting information is stored and for acquiring the print setting information;

a confirmation message presentation section for presenting to a user a screen indicating a confirmation message for confirming printing based on the acquired print setting information and accepting input by the user as to whether the printing is agreed or not;

a resetting section for resetting the acquired print setting information in accordance with an instruction from the user if the printing is not agreed confirmed by the user; and

a print job creation section for creating the print job based on the acquired print setting information or the reset print setting information and for transmitting the created print job to the server.

7. (Original) The printing terminal as defined in Claim 6, wherein

when the user agrees with the confirmation message, the print job creation section creates the print job based on the acquired print setting information.

8. (Original) The printing terminal as defined in Claim 6, wherein the print setting information contains initial print setting information and save-mode print setting information.

9. (Currently Amended) A printing method comprising:
transmitting an acquisition request for print setting information to a server via a network to acquire the print setting information set in the server;
presenting to a user a screen indicating a confirmation message for confirming printing based on the acquired print setting information;
accepting input by the user as to whether or not printing is agreed based on the acquired print setting information;
resetting the acquired print setting information in accordance with an instruction from [[a]] the user if the printing is not agreed confirmed by the user;
creating a print job based on the acquired print setting information or the reset print setting information; and
transmitting the created print job to a printing apparatus via the network so as to make the printing apparatus perform printing in accordance with the print job.

10. (Original) The printing method as defined in Claim 9, wherein when the user agrees with the confirmation message, the print job is created based on the acquired print setting information.

11. (Original) The printing method as defined in Claim 9, wherein the print setting information contains initial print setting information and save-mode print setting information.